Figure 1. Amino acid alignment of soybean CDPKa (SEQ ID NO: 2) and CDPKb (SEQ ID NO: 4), maize CDPK (L27484, SEQ ID NO: 23) and Arabidopsis CDPK (U20388, SEQ ID NO: 24)

U20388 CDPKb	MANKPRTRWVLPYKTKNVEDNYFLGQVLGQGQFGTTFLCTHKQTGQKLACKSIPKRKLLC		
L27484 CDPKa	MEDVRATYSMGKELGRGQFGVTHLCTHRTSGEKLACKTIAKRKLAA		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	QEDYDDVLREIQIMHHLSEYPNVVRIESAYEDTKNVHLVMELCEGGELFDRIVKRG-HYSMELCAGGELFDRIIQRG-HYT REDVDDVRREVQIMHHLSGQPNVVGLRGAYEDKQSVHLVMELCAGGELFDRIIARG-QYT AIAIEDVRREVKILRALTGHKNLVQFYEAYEDDDNVYIVMELCKGGELLDRILSRGGKYS **** ****: ** : *:		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	EREAAKLIKTIVGVVEACHSLGVVHRDLKPENFLFSSSDEDASLKSTDFGLSVFCTPGEA ERQAAKLTKTIVGVVEACHSLGVMHRDLKPENFLFVNQHEDSLLKTIDFGLSVFFKPGDI ERGAAELLRAIVQIVHTCHSMGVMHRDIKPENFLLLSKDEDAPLKATDFGLSVFFKEGEL EEDARVVMIQILSVVAFCHLQGVVHRDLKPENFLFTSKDDKSTLKAIDFGLSDYVKPDER *. * : *: * ** **:*******		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	FSELVGSAYYVAPEVLHKHYGPECDVWSAGVILYILLCGFPPFWAESEIGIFRKILQGKL FNDVVGSPYYVAPDVLRKRYGPEADVWSAGVILYILLSGVPPFWAENEQGIFEQVLRGDL LRDIVGSAYYIAPEVLKRKYGPEADIWSVGVMLYIFLAGVPPFWAENENGIFTAILRGQL LNDIVGSAYYVAPEVLHRSYGTEADMWSIGVIAYILLCGSRPFWARTESGIFRAVLKADP : ::***.**:**: **.*.**: **.*.* **** **** ***		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	EFEINPWPSISESAKDLIKKMLESNPKKRLTAHQVLCHPWIVDDKVAPDKPLDCAVVSRL DFSSDPWPSISESAKDLVRKMLVRDPRRRLTAHQVLCHPWIQVDGVAPDKPLDSAVLSRL DLSSEPWPHISPGAKDLVKKMLNINPKERLTAFQVLNHPWIKEDGDAPDTPLDNVVLDRL SFDEAPWPSLSVDAKDFVKRLLNKDYRKRLTAAQALSHPWLVNHHDDMRIPLDMIIHKLV .:. *** :* .***:::: : : : .*** * .* ***: . *** : . :		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	KKFSAMNKLKKMALRVIAERLSEEEIGGLKELFKMIDTDKSGTITFEELKDSMRRVGSEL KQFSAMNKLKKMALIIIAESLSEEEIAGLKEMFKMIDADNSGQITFEELKAGLKRVGANL KQFRAMNQFKKAALRIIAGCLSEEEITGLKEMFKNIDKDNSGTITLDELKHGLAKHGPKL KAYICSSSLRKSALRALAKTLTVAQLAYLRDQFTLLGPNKSGLISMQNFKTAVLRSSTDA * : : : * * * : : : : : : : : : :		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	M-ESEIQELLRAADVDESGTIDYGEFLAATIHLNKLEREENLVAAFSFFDKDASGY K-ESEIYDLMQAADVDNSGTIDYGEFLAATLHRNKIEREDNLFAAFSYFDKDGSGY S-DSEMEKLMEAADADGNGLIDYDEFVTATVHMNKLDREEHLYTAFQYFDKDNSGY SKDSRVLDYVSMVSSIQYRKLDFEEFCAAAISVHQLEGMETWEQHARHAYELFKKEGNRP :*.: .: .: .: *:: *:: *:: *:: *:: *:: *:		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	ITIEELQQAWKEFGINDS-NLDEMIKDIDQDNDGQIDYGEFVAMMRKGNGTGGGIGRRTM ITQEELQQACDEFGIKDV-RLEEIIKEIDEDNDGRIDYNEFVAMMQKGNLPAVGKKGL ITKEELEHALKEQGLYDADKIKDIISDADSDNDGRIDYSEFVAMMRKGTAGAEPMNI IMIEELASELGLSPSVPVHVVLQDWIRHSDGKLSFLGFVRLLHGVSSRAF  * ***		
U20388 CDPKb L27484 CDPKa	RNSLNFGTTLPDESMNV ENSFSVKFR-EALKL KKRRDIVL QKA		

Figure 2: 5' Flanking Region of the soybean AMPD gene (SEQ ID NO: 5) showing the TATA box and first ATG codon in bold face type.

Figure 3: Amino acid alignment of soybean NRTF1a (SEQ ID NO: 7), NRTF1b (SEQ ID NO: 9), with two *Arabidopsis thaliana* AP2 proteins, AJ001911 (SEQ ID NO: 31) and AF003096 (SEQ ID NO: 32), with the conserved AP2-domain indicated by underlining.

NRTF1b NRTF1a AJ001911 AF003096	MCGGAIISDFIGVKRGRNLAAQELWSELDPFSDFLGFDTTNSKNQPPLQKIPD MCGGAIISDFIGVKRGRNLAAQELWSELDPFSDLLGFDTTTTTTTNQPPLPD MCGGAIISDYAPLVTKAKGRKLTAEELWSELDASAADDFWGFYSTSKLHPT MCGGAIISDYAPLVTKAKGRKLTAEELWSELDASAADDFWGFYSTSKLH
AP2-2 AP2-1 AJ001911 AF003096	KKVVSSCEKKKKSVVGAEKKKSDSGRARKNVYRGIRQRPWGKWAAEIRDPHKGVRVWLGT KKVVSSCEKKKKKSVSAEKK-S-GGRARKNVYRGIRQRPWGKWAAEIRDPHKGVRVWLGT NQVNVKEEEAVKKEQATEPGKRRKRKNVYRGIRKRPWGKWAAEIRDPRKGVRVWLGT NQVNVK-EEAVKKEQATEPGKRRKRKNVYRGIRKRPWGKWAAEIRDPRKGVRVWLGT :: * . *: *:* * * *****************
AP2-2 AP2-1 AJ001911 AF003096	FPTAEEAAQAYDDAAIRIRGDKAKLNFPATTISAAAAPPPSKKQRCL FPTAEEAARAYDDAAKRIRGDKAKLNFPATAPPPSSKKQRCL FNTAEEAAMAYDVAAKQIRGEKAKLNFPDLDHHPSTPPPSSTSLRLSDQPPAKKVCV FNTAEEAAMAYDVAAKQIRGDKAKLNFPDLHHPPPPNYTPPPSSPRSTDQPPAKKVCV * ***** ** ** :***:*******************
AP2-2 AP2-1 AJ001911 AF003096	SPDIITEESSSSSHSTTGSTGESGGGNDELDLKQIEWFLGLENELPVSN SPDTTTEQSSSSQSTTGSTGSP-PSAAFHGGGDELDLKQLERFLGLD VSQSELAQPSFPVECVGFGKGEEFQNLMYGFEPDYDLKQQISSLESFLELDGTTAEQP VSQSESELSQPSFPVECIGFGNGDEFQNLSYGFEPDYDLKQQISSLESFLELDGNTAEQP .: : * * * : **** : * * * :
AP2-2 AP2-1 AJ001911 AF003096	NIGAEWDNMDDLWMLDDVVVPNRHLIY NMGAEWDNMDDLWMLDDVVVPNRHLIY SQLDESVCDVDMWMLDDVIASYE SQLDESVSEVDMWMLDDVIASYE * *:*****:

Figure 4: Amino acid alignment of soybean NRTF1a (SEQ ID NO: 7), NRTF1b (SEQ ID NO: 9), NRTF1c (SEQ ID NO: 11) and NRTF1d (SEQ ID NO: 13), with the conserved AP2-domain indicated by underlining.

NRTF1a- NRTF1b NRTF1c_ NRTF1d_	MCGGAIISDFIGVKRGRN-LAAQELWSELDP-FSDLLGFDTTTTTTTNQPPL MCGGAIISDFIGVKRGRN-LAAQELWSELDP-FSDFLGFDTTNSKNQPPLQKI MVSATVDSDFAFLESVQQYLLGHDSINLMSE-THQAASHDPFSDPNKCD MVSATVDSDFAFLESVQQYLLGHDSINLMSE-THQAASHDPFSDPNKCD *: *** . : . : . * :.
NRTF1a- NRTF1b NRTF1c_ NRTF1d_	PDKKVVSSCEKKKKKSVSAEKK-S-GGRARKNVYRGIRQ PDKKVVSSCEKKKKSVVGAEKKKSDSGRARKNVYRGIRQ GDSGNIAFRSEDATAVVARDHA
NRTF1a- NRTF1b NRTF1c_ NRTF1d_	RPWGKWAAEIRDPHK-GVRVWLGTFPTAEEAARAYDDAAKRIRGDKAKLNFPAT RPWGKWAAEIRDPHK-GVRVWLGTFPTAEEAAQAYDDAAIRIRGDKAKLNFPATTISAAA RPWGKFAAEIRDPKKNGARVWLGTYDTEEKAALAYDKAAFKMRGQKAKLNFPHL RPWGKFAAEIRDPKKNGARVWLGTYDTEEKAALAYDKAAFKMRGQKAKLNFPHL *****:***************************
NRTF1a- NRTF1b NRTF1c_ NRTF1d_	APPPSKKQRCLSPDTTTEQSSSSQSTTGSTGSPPSAAFHGGGDELDLKQLERFLGLD-APPPSKKQRCLSPDIITEESSSSSSHSTTGSTGESGGGNDELDLKQIEWFLGLENIDSDNSDELSEPVMMTTSKRSLLEISSPSSSCSDDSSESQGTKRRKIDSDNSDELSEPVMMTTSKRSLLEISSPSSSYSDDSSESQGTKRRK-*: ** *
NRTF1a- NRTF1b NRTF1c_ NRTF1d_	NMGAEWDNMDDLWMLDDVVVPNRHLIYELPVSNNIGAEWDNMDDLWMLDDVVVPNRHLIY

Figure 5: Amino acid alignment of soybean NRP-1 (SEQ ID NO: 15) and NRP-2 (SEQ ID NO: 17) along with a tomato miraculin homologue (T07871, SEQ ID NO: 25) and tobacco tumor-related protein (T03803, SEQ ID NO: 26)

T03803	MKTNQLFLPFLIFTISFNSFLSSSAEAPPA-VVDIAGKKLRTGIDYYILPVVRG
T07871	MKINQLFFPFLILAISFNSLLSSAAESPPE-VVDIDGKILRTGVDYYILPVVRG
NRP-1	-MKTKLLAFLLFFALTTKPLLLGAAGAAPEPVIDTSGKKLRADANYHIIPAVPFTICGFV
NRP-2	MKSTMLLAFALVLALSSQP-LLGGAEASPEQVVDTLGKKLRVGTNYYIVPSLPYTKIR
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т03803	RGGGLTLDSTGNESCPLDAVVQEQQEIKNGLPLTFTPVNPKKGVIRESTDLNIKFS-
T07871	RGGGLTMDSIGDKMCPLDAVVOEHNEIDOGLPLTFTPVDPKKGVIRESTDLNIIFS-
NRP-1	SCFTGGGLSLDSIDES-CPLDVIIEKANEGLPLRFSPVNTKKGVIRVSTDLNIFFSD
NRP-2	TTRGLGLASVGKPYCPLDVVVVNGYHGLPVTFSPVNPKKGVIRVSTDLNIKFS-
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т03803	AASICVQTTLWKLDDFDETTGKYFITIGGNEGNPGRETISNWFKIEKFERDYKLVYCP
T07871	ANSICVOTTOWKLDDFDETTGOYFITLGGDOGNPGVETISNWFKIEKYDRDYKLLYCP
NRP-1	SDERCP-HHSTVWMLDOFDASIGOTYVTTGGVVGNPGEHTILNWFKIQKYEDAYKLVYCP
NRP-2	ARTSCPROYSTVWKLDDFDFSKROWFVTTGGVVGNPSLETIHNWFKIEKYDGAYKLVYCP
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т03803	TVCNFCKVICKDVGIFIQDGIR-RLALSDVPFKVMFKKAQVVKD
T07871	TVCDFCKVICRDIGIFIODGVR-RLALSDVPFKVMFKKA
NRP-1	RVCPSCHHLCKDIGMFVDANRRMHLALSDDPFKIKFKEA
NRP-2	SVVKCPKHLCKNVGLFVDEKGNKRLALTDVPLKVQFQQA
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Figure 6: Amino acid sequence alignment of soybean 7OM sequence (SEQ ID NO: 19) compared to maize 7OM (L14063, SEQ ID NO: 27) and Medicago 7OM (AF000975, SEQ ID NO: 28)

AF000975 70M L14063	MASSINGRKPSEIFKAQALLYKHIYAFIDSMSLKWAVEMNIPNIIQNHGKPISLSNLVSI MASMNN-QKEIELFEGQSLLYMQLYGHLRPMCLKWAVQLGIPDIIQNHAKPISLSDLVST MELSPNNSTDQSLLDAQLELWHTTFAFMKSMALKSAIHLRIADAIHLHGGAASLSQILSK * *: * *: *
AF000975 70M L14063	LQVPSSKIGNVRRLMRYLAHNGFFEIITKEEESYALTVASELLVRGSDLCL LQIPPANAAFVQRFMRFLAHNGIFEIHESQEDHELTYALTPASKLLVNSSDHCL VHLHPSRVSSLRRLMRVLTTTNVFGTQPLGGGSDDDSEPVYTLTPVSRLLIGSQSSQLAQ ::: .:. ::** *: * :: *:** *: . *:
AF000975 70M L14063	APMVECVLDPTLSGSYHELKKWIYEEDLTLFGVTLGSGFWDFLDKNPEYNTSFNDAMA SPMVLAFTDPLRNVKYHHLGEWIRGEDPSVFETAHGTSAWGLLEKNPEYFSLFNEAMA TPLAAMVLDPTIVSPFSELGAWFQHELPDPCIFKHTHGRGIWELTKDDATFDALVNDGLA :*:. ** : * : * : * : * : * : * : * : *
AF000975 70M L14063	SDS-KLINLALRDCDFVFDGLESIVDVGGGTGTTAKIICETFPKLKCIVFDRPQVVENLS SDS-RIVDLALKNCTSVFEGLDSMVDVGGGTGTTARIICDAFPKLKCVVLDLPHVVENLT SDSQLIVDVAIKQSAEVFQGISSLVDVGGGIGAAAQAISKAFPHVKCSVLDLAHVVAKAP *** ::::*::: **:**:******* *::*: *.:***::** *:* .:** :.
AF000975 70M L14063	GSNNLTYVGGDMFTSIPNADAVLLKYILHNWTDKDCLRILKKCKEAVTNDGKRGKVTIID GTNNLSFVGGDMFNSIPQADAVLLKWVLHNWTDENCIKILQKCRDSISSKGNSGKVIIID THTDVQFIAGDMFESIPPADAVLLKSVLHDWDHDDCVKILKNCKKAIPPREAGGKVIIIN .:: ::.*** *** ******* :**:* .::*::*::::::::
AF000975 70M L14063	MVIDEKKDENQVTQIKLLMDVNMACLNGKERNEEEWKKLFIEAGFQHYKISPLTGFLSLI AVINEKLDDPDMTQTKLSLDIIMLTMNGRERTEKEWKQLFIEAGFKHYKIFPIFGFRSLI MVVGAGPSDMKHKEMQAIFDVYIMFINGMERDEQEWSKIFSEAGYSDYRIIPVLGVRSII *:. :: :*: :** ** *:**::* ***:.:* *: *: *: *: *:
AF000975 70M L14063	EIYP EVYPXTFL EVYP *:**

Figure 7.	Amino acid sequence alignment of soybean and Arabidopsis IPP
	proteins (SEQ ID NOs: 21 and 29, respectively).

AY048296 IPP	MSPVEPAGIMKKSHRQKSQRLWAKLVMRKWLNISGRDPEYGADTDNESEMWPTLVANKIFKKRLGSSNFIADYPSYKE :*** .* :::: ***	PLLGIVDID	
AY048296 IPP	SSDEEGGSGSRGRESKVYENAEDAIAAASAVVDAAAAAAEFISNDAPMK	LRRRNSETLRA QNSKTILN :**:*;	
AY048296 IPP	QYINNKEIRVCVGTWNVGGISPPSDLDIDDWIEIN-QPADIYVLGSQEI DHKDSHKYKVFVSTWNVGGIAPDEDLNIDDLLETCNNSCDIYILGFQEI :: :.:: :* *.******: .**:*** :* :**:** ***	VPLKASNVLGS	
AY048296 IPP	EDDRPVAKWEEVIREALNRVRPKLSGVKSYSDPPSPGRFKPFEETHDII ENNEISMKWNSIIREALN *::. **:.:*****		
AY048296 IPP	AGVEIHPIDEEEEEETDRLWALKHDGGVIGEVKTLVDPNTGLPVVEIKRDAKKQELKNNF-PNK * :::* **:: . ** :	_	
AY048296 IPP	LCLRADSFKGISDDDSTQTGMKTINRMLSGKERIGLSWPEPPLNMLGPC		
AY048296 IPP	KSLKTAKSFKAYSSFKSVAGNNNGIPPEVLALAEMDLKLLMERKRRPAYAKCCDAPHDFQCIIS *** .*:::		
AY048296 IPP	LLTIWVKRSLRKHIQNVRVSTVGVGVMGYIGNKGAVSVSMSINQTFFCFINTHLTAGERE FISVWIRRDLCPFIRHPSVSCVGCGIMGCLGNKGSISVRFQLHETSFCFVCSHLASGGRE ::::*::*: ** .*:: ** ** *:** :****::* **::: ***:: ***		
AY048296 IPP	VDQIKRNADVHEIHKRTVFHSVSALGLPKLIYDHERIIWLGDLNYRLSS GDEKHRNSNVAEIFSRTSFPRGPLLDLPRTILDHDHVILLGDLNYRISL *::**::* **** * . *.**: * **:::* ******:*	PEETTRLLVEK	
AY048296 IPP	REWSKLLEYDQLVKEYRKGRAFDGWSEGTLHFPPTYKYQANSDEYTAND RDWDSLLANDQLIMELMSGNMLRGWHEGAIKFAPTYKYCPNSDIYYGCC *:*** ***: * .*.: ** **:::*.**** .*** * .	YHGKKAEKRRA	
AY048296 IPP	PAWCDRVLSYGKGMRLVHYRRTEQKFSDHRPVTAIYMAEVEVFPAWCDRIVWCGEGLKQLQYTRIESKLSDHRPVKAMFIAEVRVLPELMKN*****: *:*:*:***.*:		
AY048296 IPP	QRALTFTDAEIEDEGLVAVLVQIKTPFEVSTTEDFVNRKRSSFRLXIFCVIQARL  * .* : **		

Figure 8: 5' Flanking Region of the soybean IPP gene (SEQ ID NO: 22) showing the TATA box and first ATG codon

AGCACCATCATCTCTATCATTCGGAATGCAACCAAGCTAAAAGATTACTACAACTAATTGCTTTTCCTTATCACA ATAAGTAGAGAACGTGTATTAATAATTTCTACATAAGAAATAAAGAAATATATTAGATATAATAAGTGATGCAAG CTACTTCAATTAACATGAAGATGTAGTTCCATCTCAACGGATTTCCGTCTCAAATAAAATTCTTAATAACGTGCT ACTAACCATTGGAATCTGCAGAATATCTCGTTTAGTTGGGCACAATCCCTCAAAAGCGATGTATTTTTTAATGG AAACAATGCATGCCACAAGAACGTTTATATATACATAATTTTACTAAACAAATCGTAATACAAAACTTTATTATT ATAACGTGATTTGTCACTTTTTGCTTCAGAAAAATACTTTGTACAAAACATTAAGACAATAACATAAGTTGCCAA TACCATACATAAAACTCTTTAATGAATCATAATGATGAAAATTGAGAGATATTTAGTTCCATGATAAAGAGTGTG TTTGTGTGGGAATTTGACCAAACGCAATTGTTGTTCCAGTGAAAACTTTTCTCGCGTGTTTTGGCCTTTTTGTGTCT CAGAAAGCTAATTTTCTCCATTTAACGTGGTTTGGACCCATTTTCAAACGCACTCACAGTGAGTCCGTTTCTGTA AAAAAACAAGTCACATATTTTATTCTTATGTCAGCCAAAAACTTGACTAGCTGTAGATGGGGCAATAATAACTAG CTATTCATCACATTTCCTAGCTAATTGCCTGTTTTGTTATGGACCACATTCCCACTTGCACTCATCTTCAGCAAT TATATATATGATGATGAGCAATGCAGCCAAAGGTGCATCATCTTTTACGTCACATGAAAGCCTTTCCTACCTC TTCAAGCTGCACAAGCCTTTCTCTTTCCCAGAATGATTTTTTTCCATTTCTTGTTATTATTACTCCTTTTTGGACT TTCTATATATGCTTTCTATATACGTTTCCAATAATACCACGTACACTACTCATGTGCCAGGAAAAGGAGCAGCA GTGACCACCTAGCAATAGTACTCTCGCCTTCTCTCAATCATTTTTCATTTGTCAACTTTTATAGACCTCGATTTG TGTATGCAAATTTCTTTAGGACATG